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TO YOU:

SPECIAL GA--GENERAL DEBATE

GA, IN CONTINUING GENERAL DEBATE APRIL 19, HEARD VIEWS OF
BHUTAN, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, MALAYSIA, RWANDA, EGYPT,
IRELAND, GREECE, UKRAINE, INDIA, SYRIA, JAMAICA AND UGANDA.
SPEAKERS LISTED FOR APRIL 22 ARE: KENYA, POLAND, AUSTRALIA,
AUSTRIA, PAKISTAN, FINLAND, CYPRUS AND AFGHANISTAN.

BHUTAN--IN BRIEF STATEMENT BHUTAN PERMREP
SANGYE PENJOR EMPHASIZED THAT SURVIVAL OF LEAST DEVELOPED,
LANDLOCKED COUNTRIES IS IN PERIL. OIL PRICES HAVE
PARTICULARLY AFFECTED BHUTAN WHERE ROAD TRANSPORT IS
ONLY EFFECTIVE MEANS OF COMMUNICATION. PENJOR SUGGESTED
THE UN CONSIDER CREATING SPECIAL FUND FOR PAYMENT OF
INTERNATIONAL COMPENSATION TO SERIOUSLY AFFECTED LDC'S
TO TIDE OVER CURRENT CRISIS. HE CITED IRAN'S INITIATIVE
AS ONE TO BE EMULATED BY OTHERS.

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES--MINSTATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS
GHOBASH PREDICTABLY DEFENDED RISE IN PRICE OF OIL, CALLING
IT QUITE MODERATE BY CRITERIA OF ITS REPLACEMENT COST IN
SYNTHETIC OIL. DC'S HAVE FOR YEARS BEEN ENJOYING WHAT
HE TERMED "CONSUMERS' SURPLUSES" REPRESENTING DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN LOW PRICES PAID FOR OIL CONTROLLED BY LARGE
INTERNATIONAL COMPANIES AND HIGHER PRICES THEY WOULD HAVE
PAID FOR OIL OR ITS SUBSTITUTES RATHER THAN FOREGO ITS
CONSUMPTION. FREEZING OF PRICES BY OPEC AT DECEMBER 1973
LEVEL IS ACT OF STATESMANSHIP. UAE HAS GIVEN GREAT DEAL
OF ASSISTANCE TO LDC'S, MOSTLY TO OTHER ARAB COUNTRIES,
AMOUNTING TO SOME \$278 MILLION. YET, PER CAPITA INCOME
OF 20 ARAB COUNTRIES IS EXPECTED NOT TO EXCEED \$700
IN 1974. UAE IS CONSIDERING ADDITIONAL MEASURES OF AID
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SUCH AS SUBSTANTIAL ENLARGEMENT OF ITS ARAB DEVELOPMENT
FUND AND OPENING IT TO OTHER LDC'S. AMONG SPECIFIC
PROJECTS HE MENTIONED WERE PIPELINE TRANSPORT IN EGYPT
AND REFINERY-FERTILIZER PLANTS IN PAKISTAN. MAIN THRUST
OF UAE RECOMMENDATION WAS IN MONETARY FIELD. MEASURES
SHOULD INCLUDE GUARANTEES FOR FINANCIAL RESOURCES KEPT
IN INTERNATIONAL RESERVE CURRENCIES, AS WELL AS
INDEXING OF SUCH RESOURCES IN RELATION TO "AN APPROPRIATE

MEASURE OF WORLD INFLATION". (REPEATED INFO ABU DHABI,
JIDDA, KUWAIT, LONDON)

MALAYSIA--MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO KHIR JOHARI OUTLINED
PROBLEM WHICH LED TO PRESENT ECONOMIC CRISIS, INCLUDING
PREVIOUS PIECEMEAL EFFORTS RATHER THAN COMPREHENSIVE
APPROACH. HE ASSERTED THAT OPEC COUNTRIES' UNILATERAL
ACTION HAS LED THEM TO PLAY ROLE IN DECISIONS AFFECTING
THEIR RESOURCES; THEY "HAVE COME INTO THEIR OWN".
FOR OTHER DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, PROBLEMS REMAIN SAME:
NEED FOR STABLE, EQUITABLE AND REMUNERATIVE PRICE FOR
PRIMARY COMMODITIES AND NEED FOR MORE COMMODITY AGREEMENTS;
NEED FOR INTERNATIONAL AND INTER-GOVERNMENTAL FINANCIAL
INSTITUTIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN FINANCING OF BUFFER STOCKS;
FREE ACCESS TO MARKETS OF DEVELOPED COUNTRIES; AND
ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL FIN
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NOTE: ATHENS, DUBLIN AND CAIRO DISREGARD SECTION INDICATOR,
SEC 2 IS COMPLETE AS SENT TO YOU:

EGYPT--MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND MINERAL WEALTH HILAL'S
SPEECH WAS POLEMICAL IN TONE BUT HE ESCHEWED EXTREMIST
RECOMMENDATIONS. HE EMPHASIZED THAT MAJOR POWERS HAVE
WITHIN THEIR OWN TERRITORIES MORE THAN 90 PERCENT OF
WORLD'S KNOWN RESERVES OF ENERGY SOURCE ALTERNATIVES,
BUT HAVE DONE LITTLE TO DEVELOP THEM, RELYING INSTEAD ON
ARTIFICIALLY LOW OIL PRICES. SOME DC'S HAVE BEEN RUNNING
LARGE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS SURPLUSES REGULARLY EVERY YEAR,
BUT SUDDENLY COMPLAIN WHEN OIL-PRODUCING LDC'S BEGIN TO
SHOW SURPLUSES. WHILE PEOPLE IN AFRICA AND ASIA ARE
STARVING, BUTTER AND OTHER FOOD PRODUCTS IN SOME HIGHLY
DEVELOPED COUNTRIES ARE LEFT TO ROT. IT WOULD BE OF GREAT
INTEREST IF UN SCERETARIAT COULD PROVIDE STUDIES ON SUBJECT
OF PROFITS DC'S HAVE DERIVED OVER THE YEARS FROM OIL PRODUCTION
IN LDC'S. WORLD SHOULD TAKE NOTE THAT ONCE OIL RESERVES
IN ME AND OTHER LDC'S ARE DEPLETED, ONLY REMAINING
SOURCES OF ENERGY WILL BE CONCENTRATED IN HANDS OF A FEW
MAJOR POWERS. POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC REPERCUSSIONS OF SUCH
SITUATION SHOULD NEVER ESCAPE WORLD'S ATTENTION.
HILAL HOPED FOR POSITIVE RESULTS FROM CURRENT DISCUSSIONS
OF G-77'S DECLARATION AND PROGRAM OF ACTION. EGYPT SUPPORTS:
1) RIGHT OF SOVEREIGNTY OF EACH STATE OVER NATURAL RESOURCES;
2) EQUITABLE LINK BETWEEN PRICES OF LDC EXPORTS AND
IMPORTS FROM DC'S; 3) MORE WORLD CONFERENCES CONCENTRATING
ON NEED TO BALANCE FOOD PRODUCTION AGAINST POPULATION
GROWTH; AND 4) SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
TO LDC'S FROM ALL STATES, PLUS POSSIBILITY THAT HIGHLY
DEVELOPED COUNTRIES MAY CONSIDER WAIVING INTEREST ON PAST
LOANS OR EVEN DEBT CANCELLATION. HE COMMENDED OIL-PRODUCING
LDC WILLINGNESS TO ASSIST NEEDIER LDC'S. (REPEATED INFO
CAIRO)

IRELAND--FONMIN FITZGERALD MADE CAREFULLY FORMULLATED
EFFORT TO BALANCE LONG-TERM FOOD AND DEVELOPMENTAL NEEDS
OF POORER COUNTRIES AGAINST IMMEDIATE NEEDS RESULTING FROM
RISE IN OIL PRICES. HE MENTIONED IRELAND'S SPECIAL

EXPERIENCE IN LOSING HALF OF ITS POPULATION OVER PAST
CENTURY AS RESULT OF FAMINE AND ITS AFTER-EFFECTS. NOTING
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THAT IMBALANCE BETWEEN PRICES OF RAW MATERIALS AND PRICES
OF INDUSTRIAL GOODS HAS BEEN SERIOUS PROBLEM IN PAST,
HE SUPPORTED FRENCH FONMIN'S CALL FOR NETWORK OF COMMODITY
AGREEMENTS GOVERNING PRINCIPAL RAW MATERIALS. HE ALSO SPOKE
OF NEED FOR TRANSFER OF ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNIQUES TO
LDC'S IN PROCESS OF INDUSTRIALIZATION AND SUPPORTED APPEAL
FOR WORLD FERTILIZER FUND MADE BY PM BANDARANAIKE AT ECAFE
MEETING IN COLOMBO. HE HAD GOOD WORDS FOR SAUDI ARABIA'S
SUGGESTION THAT FERTILIZER PLANTS BE LOCATED NEAR NATURAL
GAS WHICH IS OTHERWISE WASTED IN SAUDI ARABIA. HE WELCOMED
MINISTER SCHEEL'S PLEDGE OF ASSISTANCE ON BEHALF OF
EEC AND JOBERT'S CALL FOR UN ECONOMIC MONITORING CENTER
TO HELP AMASS INFORMATION. HOWEVER, FITZGERALD CALLED FOR
IMMEDIATE ACTION TO MEET PROBLEMS OF THOSE LDC'S
MOST THREATENED BY OIL PRICE RISE. HE URGED ALL COUNTRIES
EXCEPT THE VERY, VERY POOR ONES TO ACCEPT OBLIGATION TO
ASSIST OTHERS AND NOT LEAVE TASK ONLY TO RICHEST
NATIONS. THOUGH IRELAND IS POOR COMPARED TO ITS
GEOGRAPHIC WORLD NEIGHBORS, HE SAID, IT DOUBLED THE LEVEL
OF ITS DEVELOPMENT AID LAST YEAR AND HAS COMMITTED
ITSELF IN THIS DIFFICULT YEAR TO FURTHER DOUBLING
OF ITS AID. (REPEATED INFO DUBLIN)

GREECE--STAVROS ROUSSOS, DIRGEN FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS,
MADE MODERATE, BALANCED SPEECH BASED ON ASSUMPTIONS OF
WORLD ECONOMIC INTERDEPENDENCE AND NEED FOR COOPERATIVE
APPROACHES TO INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC PROBLEMS. HE NOTED
THAT TERMS OF TRADE HAD IMPROVED FOR SOME RAW MATERIALS
IN RECENT YEARS, BUT IN HAPHAZARD WAY. HE APPROVED GRADUAL
INCREASE OF RAW MATERIAL PRICES AND ENDORSED COMMODITY
AGREEMENTS, BUFFER STOCKS AND SDR LINK AND OTHER EFFORTS
TO ASSIST LDC'S. HOWEVER, UNDUE FLUCTUATIONS IN RAW
MATERIAL PRICES SHOULD BE AVOIDED AND ATTENTION
SHOULD BE PAID TO PLIGHT OF LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND
THOSE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY PRICE RISES. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL
IF ADVANCED COUNTRIES AND COUNTRIES BENEFITING
FROM INCREASED PRICES JOINED IN PROVIDING ADDITIONAL
ASSISTANCE, PREFERABLY THROUGH EXISTING INTERNATIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS. HE SAID THAT GREECE ITSELF WAS DEVELOPING
COUNTRY, NEAR THRESHOLD OF INDUSTRIALIZATION, WHICH HAD
BEEN ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY RECENT INCREASES IN RAW MATERIAL
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PRICES. HE WARNED THAT DOCUMENTS WHICH COME OUT OF GA

SPECIAL SESSION MUST BE REALISTIC, COMMAND SUPPORT,
CREATE ATMOSPHERE OF CONFIDENCE AND BE ACCEPTABLE TO PRIVATE
AS WELL AS PUBLIC SUPPLIERS OF CAPITAL. (REPEATED INFO
ATHENS)

UKRAINE--FONMIN SHEVEL STRESSED BY-NOW-FAMILIAR THEMES:
LINK BETWEEN DETENTE AND DEVELOPMENT; REDUCTION OF MILITARY
EXPENDITURES; CULPABILITY OF CAP
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INDIA--FONMIN SWARAN SINGH STRESSED "VICIOUS CIRCLE OF SCARCITIES AND SPIRALING PRICES" AND FACT OF WORLD INTERDEPENDENCE. THERE NEED FOR PROGRESSIVE IMPROVEMENT IN COMMODITY PRICES AND LDC'S MUST PARTICIPATE IN DETERMING PRICES OF THEIR PRODUCTS. ENORMOUS INCREASE IN PRICE OF LDC'S IMPORTS SUCH AS FERTILIZER AND OIL THREATENS TO THROTTLE INDIA'S GROWTH AND WIPE OUT GAINS OF "GREEN REVOLUTION." WHILE APPRECIATING REASONS FOR INCREASED OIL PRICES, SINGH COULD NOT APPRECIATE JUSTIFICATION FOR ENORMOUS INCREASE IN COST OF ESSENTIAL IMPORTS FROM DEVELOPED COUNTRIES. AID PROPOSALS FROM IRAQ, IRAN, OPEC DEVELOPMENT FUND AND KUWAIT ACKNOWLEDGED, BUT SINGH SAID PROBLEM SHOULD BE ATTACKED WITH GREATER URGENCY. LDC'S NEED GREATER LIQUIDITY AND COMMON EFFORT REQUIRED TO NEUTRALIZE RISE IN IMPORT COSTS. HE SAID GA SHOULD GO BEYOND "GENERALIZED DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES" AND ADOPT PRACTICAL PROGRAM OF ACTION INCLUDING REAFFIRMATION OF DEVELOPMENT TARGETS, POLICY FOR REVALORIZATION OF RAW MATERIAL PRICES, PROVISION FOR ADDITIONAL LIQUIDITY, FORMULATE PLAN TO RESTRUCTURE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY SYSTEM, FULFILL TARGETS FOR DEVELOPMENT AID, WORK OUT POLICY OF DEBT REPAYMENT, TAP SUMS ON CAPITAL MARKETS AND MAKE AVAILABLE FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO LDC'S. (USUN--1425)

SYRIA--PERM REP KELANI TROD WELL-WORN LINE OF ARGUMENT SUGGESTING PRESENT ECONOMIC SITUATION CAN EASILY LEAD TO WORLD-WIDE DEPRESSION AND UNEMPLOYMENT. HE ATTRIBUTED INTERNATIONAL INFLATION TO MOST INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS AND SUGGESTED AS REMEDIES: A) RETURN TO FIXED MONETARY EXCHANGE RATES; AND B) COMMODITY AGREEMENTS, WHICH LDC'S HAVE BEEN REQUESTING IN UNCTAD FOR YEARS. HE ALSO SPOKE OF NEED TO REDUCE TARIFF BARRIERS ON LDC EXPORTS AND INCREASED

ASSISTANCE TO LDC'S AT LEAST TO LEVEL OF ONE PERCENT OF DC GNP. HE FAVORED CHARTER OF ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF

STATES. KELANI LIVENED UP IN FINALE WHEN HE BLAMED ISRAELI AGGRESSION FOR SLOW ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN SYRIA. AS LONG AS SUCH SOLONIALIST, EXPANISIONIST AGGRESSION CONTINUES,
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HE ASSERTED, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WILL SUFFER.

(REPEATED INFO DAMASCUS)

JAMAICA--MINISTER OF INDUSTRY PATTERSON, DECLARING THERE NO MORE ROOM IN WORLD FOR "ECONOMIC GUNBOATISM", CALLED ON SPECIAL SESSION TO ENGAGE IN FUNDAMENTAL RESTRUCTURING OF RESOURCE FLOW AND RESOURCE USE TO ELIMINATE UNEQUAL DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME BETWEEN INDUSTRIAL NATIONS AND LDC'S. WHILE EXPRESSING "SYMPATHY" WITH RECENT OIL PRICE HIKES BY PART OF OPEC, HE NOTED SERIOUS REPERCUSSIONS ON LDC CONSUMERS AND URGED IMMEDIATE RELIEF MEASURES. IN THIS CONTEXT, HE SAID RECENT INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CRISIS INCREASES THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL STABILITY OF LDC'S BECAUSE IT MAKES IT MORE DIFFICULT TO SATISFY RISING DOMESTIC EXPECTATIONS. SPECIFICALLY, HE RENEWED JAMAICA'S RECOMMENDATION TO 28TH UNGA FOR ESTABLISHMENT "PRICE INDEXATION SYSTEM". TO MAINTAIN "JUST PARITY" BETWEEN EXPORT PRICES OF DEVELOPED NATIONS AND LDC'S; URGED CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MULTINATIONALS AND UN TECHNICAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO LDC'S NEGOTIATING WITH THEM; STRESSED NEED TO LINK SDR'S TO DEVELOPMENT AID, AND URGED REMOVAL OF TARIFF BARRIERS ON IMPORTS FROM LDC'S. HE ALSO "DEPLORED EXISTENCE OF ECONOMIC BOYCOTT AGAINST CUBA" AND ENDORSED MEXICAN ECONOMIC CHARTER. (REPEATED INFO KINGSTON)

UGANDA--FONMIN ETIANG PRESENTED RELATIVELY DISPASSIONATE REVIEW OF PRINCIPAL INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ISSUES. CITING UGANDA PARTICIPATION IN "GENEVA GROUP" OF COFFEE PRODUCERS, HE DEFENDED PRODUCER ASSOCIATIONS AS RESULT OF FAILURE REACH AGREEMENT WITH CONSUMERS. HE REJECTED ALLEGATION THAT UNGA SPECIAL SESSION HAD BEEN CALLED TO DIVERT ATTENTION FROM OIL PRICE INCREASES BUT DESCRIBED SERIOUS IMPACT INCREASES HAD HAD ON UGANDAN ECONOMY. ETIANG WELCOMED ROME FOOD CONFERENCE AND APPEALED FOR TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER TO AUGMENT FOOD-PRODUCTION CAPACITY OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. WHILE ENDORSING DEVELOPMENT AID IN PRINCIPLE, HE ARGUED THAT IT HAD BEEN DEVALUED BY ONEROUS TERMS, IMPOSITION OF PROJECT PRIORITIES BY DONORS, AND ATTACHMENT OF POLITICAL STRINGS. HE SECONDED TANZANIAN FONMIN'S CRITICISM OF WORLD BANK POLITICAL INTERFERENCE ("BIG UNCLASSIFIED UNCLASSIFIED

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BROTHER BLACKMAIL") AND SCORED "PAINSTAKINGLY SLOW" BANK PROCEDURES. UNLESS THESE COULD BE OVERHAULED, HE SAID, EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE REQUIRED BY COUNTRIES HARDEST HIT BY OIL-PRICE INCREASE SHOULD BE CHanneled THROUGH REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT BANKS. IN FIELD OF TRADE, ETIANG PROPOSED PRICE INDEXING, "FREE ACCESS" FOR ALL LDC EXPORTS TO DEVELOPED COUNTRY MARKETS, AN SPECIAL MEASURES TO EXPAND EXPORTS OF LEAST DEVELOPED. ETIANG ALSO CALLED FOR LINKING OF SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHTS TO

DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AND FOR ACCELERATION OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER TO CHANGE INTERNATIONAL DIVISION OF LABOR. ETIANG INVOKED PRINCIPLE OF PERMANENT SOVEREIGNTY OVER NATURAL RESOURCES TO JUSTIFY UGANDA'S SPOILIATION OF ASIAN PROPERTIES IN 1972. HE TERMED NATIONALIZATION OF MAJOR FACTORS OF PRODUCTION AS "NECESSARY PREREQUISITE FOR MEANINGFUL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

NEW UAE AID--

UAE RELEASED ANNOUNCEMENT APRIL 19 OF NEW AID GRANTED TO BAHRAIN, EGYPT, MAURITANIA, SOMALIA AND TUNISIA TOTALING ABOUT \$36 MILLION. (USUN--1417)

PRESS CONFERENCE BY CANADIAN MINISTER OF ENERGY--

CANADA TRYING TO MECHANIZE ITS OWN ECONOMY AND, LIKE ARABS, TO GET MAXIMUM PRICE OF ITS RESOURCES, CANADIAN MINISTER OF ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES MACDONALD TOLD PRESS APRIL 18. HE PREDICTED THAT BY END OF DECADE CANADIAN SHIPMENTS OF OIL TO US WILL HAVE DECREASED TO ZERO, BUT EXPORTS OF PETRO-CHEMICALS TO US MAY INCREASE. CANADA, HE SAID, BELIEVES COMMODITY AGREEMENTS BETWEEN PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS ESSENTIAL. (CANADIANS INFORMED USUN GOC CONSIDERING PROPOSING SPECIFIC COMMODITY AGREEMENT ON URANIUM IN CONTEXT SPECIAL GA.) MACDONALD ALSO SAID CANADA WOULD BE GLAD TO MAKE MORE NUCLEAR PLANTS AVAILABLE TO THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES. (USUN--1421)

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